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STRENGTHENING HUMAN RIGHTS PROCEDURES, PARIS,  
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THE FOLLOWING RULES FOR THE ADMISSIBILITY OF COMMUNICATIONS FOR BOTH CASES AND QUESTIONS AS DEFINED IN PARAGRAPH NEW 9(A) WERE ADOPTED BY THE WORKING GROUP:

BEGIN QUOTE OF TEXT

- (I) THE COMMUNICATION MUST NOT BE ANONYMOUS;
- (II) THE COMMUNICATION MUST ORIGINATE FROM A PERSON OR A GROUP OF PERSONS WHO, IT CAN BE REASONABLY PRESUMED ARE VICTIMS OF AN ALLEGED VIOLATION OF ANY OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS REFERRED TO IN PARAGRAPH 3 BELOW. IT MAY ALSO ORIGINATE FROM ANY PERSON, GROUP OF PERSONS, OR NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION HAVING RELIABLE KNOWLEDGE
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OF THOSE VIOLATIONS;

- (III) THE COMMUNICATION MUST CONCERN VIOLATIONS OF HUMAN RIGHTS FALLING WITHIN UNESCO'S COMPETENCE IN THE FIELDS OF EDUCATION, SCIENCE, CULTURE AND INFORMATION;

(IV) THE COMMUNICATION MUST BE COMPATIBLE WITH THE PRINCIPLES OF THE ORGANIZATION, THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS, THE UNIVERSAL DECLARATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS, THE INTERNATIONAL COVENANTS ON HUMAN RIGHTS AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL INSTRUMENTS IN THE FIELD OF HUMAN RIGHTS;

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V. THE COMMUNICATION MUST NOT BE MANIFESTLY ILL-FOUNDED AND MUST APPEAR TO CONTAIN RELEVANT EVIDENCE;

VI. THE COMMUNICATION MUST NOT BE OFFENSIVE OR AN ABUSE OF THE RIGHT TO SUBMIT COMMUNICATIONS. HOWEVER, SUCH COMMUNICATION MAY BE CONSIDERED IF IT MEETS ALL OTHER CRITERIA OF ADMISSIBILITY AFTER THE DELETION OF THE OFFENSIVE OR ABUSIVE PARTS;

VII. THE COMMUNICATION MUST NOT BE BASED EXCLUSIVELY ON INFORMATION DISSEMINATED THROUGH THE MASS MEDIA;

VIII. THE COMMUNICATION MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME-LIMIT FOLLOWING THE FACTS WHICH CONSTITUTE ITS SUBJECT MATTER OR WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME-LIMIT AFTER THE FACTS HAVE BECOME KNOWN;

IX. THE COMMUNICATION MUST BE CONCERNED WITH VIOLATIONS OF HUMAN RIGHTS AND NOT BE MOTIVATED EXCLUSIVELY BY OTHER CONSIDERATIONS;  
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X. THE COMMUNICATION MUST INDICATE WHETHER AN ATTEMPT HAS BEEN MADE TO EXHAUST AVAILABLE DOMESTIC REMEDIES WITH REGARD TO THE FACTS WHICH CONSTITUTE THE SUBJECT MATTER OF THE COMMUNICATION AND THE RESULTS OF SUCH AN ATTEMPT, IF ANY;

XI. COMMUNICATIONS ALREADY SETTLED BY THE STATES CONCERNED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE HUMAN RIGHTS PRINCIPLES SET FORTH IN THE UNIVERSAL DECLARATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS AND THE INTERNATIONAL COVENANTS ON HUMAN RIGHTS SHALL NOT BE CONSIDERED. END QUOTE  
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